

**REQUEST FOR CONSULTATIONS FROM KOREA UNDER  
ARTICLE 12.3 OF THE AGREEMENT ON SAFEGUARDS**

Imposition of a Safeguard Measure by the United States  
On Imports of Certain Steel Products

Supplement

The following communication, dated 7 March 2002, has been received from the Permanent Mission of Korea.

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With regard to my letter of 27 February 2002, through which I have requested consultations in accordance with Article 12.3 of the Safeguards Agreement, I have been instructed to convey the request of the Government of the Republic of Korea to hold such consultations in Washington D.C. on one of the dates between 13 and 15 March 2002 in view of the 5 March Proclamation of the President of the United States on the application of safeguard measures on the import of certain steel products.

I would further like to note that the above request does not prejudge Korea's position on whether the period between the announcement and the application of the proposed measures provides sufficient amount of time for meaningful consultations as stipulated in the above stated Article.

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